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## **RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 18, 2008**

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 18, 2008 having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on May 19, 2008 with a one month extension of time, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. The Applicants believe that a one-month extension and request for continued examination (RCE) fees are due in connection with this response. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's credit card account in accordance with the enclosed PTO-2038 form.

Furthermore, in the event that the Commissioner is unable to obtain the necessary fees from Applicants' credit card account, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/ATT/2003-0225 for the one-month extension of time and RCE fees and any additional fees, including excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.